CHAPTER 14.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION OF DISABLED PERSONS

H. F. 480.

AN ACT to provide for the acceptance of the benefits of an act passed by the senate and house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to provide for compliance with all the requirements of such act; to provide for the appointment of a custodian of all moneys received by the state from appropriations made by the congress of the United States for the purpose stated; to empower and direct the state board for vocational education to cooperate with the federal board for vocational education in carrying out the provisions of said act, and prescribe its powers and duties; to provide for a plan of cooperation between such state board and the state commissioner of labor and the state industrial commissioner; to provide for the acceptance of gifts and donations and the creation of a special fund; and to make appropriations to provide for the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Acceptance of Federal Act. That the state of Iowa does hereby, through its legislative authority, accept the provisions and benefits of the act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment" approved June 2, 1920 (Pub. No. 236, 66th Congress), and will observe and comply with all the requirements of such act.

SEC. 2. Custodian of funds. That the state treasurer is hereby designated and appointed custodian of all moneys received by the state from appropriations made by the congress of the United States for the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry, or otherwise, and is authorized to receive and provide for the proper custody of the same and to make disbursement therefrom upon the requisition of the state board for vocational education.

- SEC. 3. State board for vocational education to cooperate.

 That the board heretofore designated or created as the state board for vocational education to cooperate with the federal board for vocational education in the administration of the provisions of the vocational education act, approved February 23, 1917, is hereby designated as the state board for the purpose of cooperating with the said federal board in carrying out the provisions and the purposes of said federal act providing for the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise.
- SEC. 4. Duty of state board. That the state board for vocational education is hereby empowered and directed to cooperate with the federal board for vocational education in the administration of said act of congress; to administer any legislation pursuant thereto enacted by this state and direct the disbursement, and administer the use of all funds provided by the federal government and this state for the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment; to appoint such assistants as may be necessary to administer the provisions of this act and said act of congress in this state and fix the compensation of such persons; to study

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and make investigations relating to the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment and to formulate plans for the vocational rehabilitation of such persons; to make such surveys with the cooperation of the state commissioner of labor and the state industrial commissioner as will assist in the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise and their return to civil employment; to maintain a record of all such persons together with all measures taken for their rehabilitation; to utilize in the rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise such existing educational facilities of the state as may be advisable and practicable, including public and private educational institutions, public or private establishments, plants, factories, and the services of individuals specially qualified for the instruction of physically handicapped persons; to promote the establishment and assist in the development of training agencies for the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise; to supervise the training of such persons and confer with their relatives and others concerning their vocational rehabilitation; to make every possible endeavor looking to the placement of vocationally rehabilitated persons in suitable remunerative occupations, including supervision for a reasonable time after return to civil employment; to utilize the facilities of such agencies both public and private as may be practicable in securing employment for such persons and any such public agency is hereby authorized and directed to cooperate with the state board for vocational education for the purpose stated; to cooperate with any agency of the federal government or of the state or of any county or other municipal authority within the state or any other agency, public or private, in carrying out the purposes of this act; and to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary for the administration of this act and said act of congress within this state, and to do all things necessary to secure the rehabilitation of those entitled to the benefits of this act; and to report on call or biennially to the governor the conditions of vocational rehabilitation within the state, such report to designate the educational institutions, establishments, plants, factories, etc., in which training is being given, and to contain a detailed statement of the expenditures of the state and federal funds in the rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise.

SEC. 5. Cooperation provided. It shall be the duty of the state board for vocational education and the state commissioner of labor and the state industrial commissioner as administrator of the workmen's compensation law to formulate a plan of cooperation in accordance with the provisions of this act and said act of congress, such plan to become effective when approved by the governor of the state.

SEC. 6. Gifts and donations. That the state board for vocational education is hereby authorized and empowered to receive such gifts and donations from either public or private sources as may be offered unconditionally or under such condition related to the vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry or otherwise as in the judgment of the said state board are proper and consistent with the provisions of this act. All the moneys received as gifts or donations shall be deposited in the state treasury and shall constitute a permanent fund to be called the special fund for the vocational rehabilitation of disabled persons, to be used by the said board in carrying out the provisions of

- this act or for purposes related thereto. A full report of all gifts and donations offered and accepted, together with the names of the donors and the respective amounts contributed by each, and all disbursements
- 13 and the respective amounts contributed by each, and all disbursements 14 therefrom shall be submitted at call or biennially to the governor of
- 15 the state by said state board.
 - SEC. 7. Appropriations for support. That there shall be appropriated a sum of money available for each fiscal year not less than the maximum sum which may be allotted to the state for the purposes set forth in said federal act, and that there is hereby appropriated for such purposes out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922, the sum of \$22,836.45; and for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1923, the sum of \$22,836.45.
 - SEC. 8. Appropriation for equipment. That there is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the state treasury not otherwise appro-3 priated the sum of \$800, or as much thereof as may be necessary, for 4 the state board for vocational education for additional office equipment 5 in the administration of the federal and state rehabilitation acts known 6 respectively as Pub. No. 236, 66th Congress and Sec. 1 of this act and 7 the sum of \$2000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, to be used 8 for the remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, as against 9 the federal appropriation in the administration of the aforesaid acts.
- SEC. 9. Publication clause. This act being of immediate importance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Des Moines Register and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved March 7, A. D. 1921.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Register March 8, 1921, and in the Des Moines Capital, March 12, 1921.

W. C. RAMSAY, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 15

TAXATION

S. F. 275.

AN ACT to repeal chapter two hundred fifty-seven (257), laws of the thirty-eighth general assembly (compiled code, sec. 4482, par. 1) relating to banks or trust companies, stock, government securities and exemptions.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- 1 SECTION 1. Repeal in re exemption. That chapter two hundred
- 2 fifty-seven (257) of the acts of the thirty-eighth general assembly of 3 Iowa (C. C. Section 4482, Par. 1) be, and the same is hereby repealed.

Approved March 8, A. D. 1921.